

# LEWY BROS. BRILLIANT ARRAY OF SPRING DRESS GOODS. SILKS, GLOVES, HOSERY AND WASHABLE GOODS

With prices on every article far under the usual on new, up-to-date stock, and our new modern ideas of merchandising makes this Norfolk's most satisfactory shopping place. We guarantee satisfaction with every sale, and your money refunded if dissatisfied. Exceptional prices here told will make Monday selling lively. Open Monday, new stock Shirt Waists, Percale, Lawn and Pique Embroidered. Black Lawn and Satteen. Prices special.

## 39c—LEWY'S GREAT SILK NEWS—39c

**SILKS** A Great Silk Purchase—500 Pieces **SILKS**  
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Placed us in possession of over 500 pieces of Fine New Fancy and Plain Silks last week. This will enable us to place before a delighted public Monday the greatest Silk Bargain Feast ever held in the South. A great gathering of Daintiest Silks, in Stripes, Plaids and Checks, at our ever popular prices, 39c, 50c, 69c, and \$1.00 a yard. Our wonderful Silk prices have been widely commented on. Have you seen Lewy's 69c Silks? is heard on every side. A new Silk wonder will be added this week at 39c a yard.

39c. We purchased 100 yds. Hand-Made, Washable, Japan, Taffeta, every fibre pure silk. These are the goods run by the large New York stores this season at 50c. new choice styles, see these sure, no more if wanting to buy or not; special 39c a yard.

39c. Choice of three shades; also Black, White, Cream Satin; this is the very best 39c satin.

39c. 21-inch all-silk Taffeta, all shades and black.

69c. 42 distinct shades, pure silk, heavy warp Taffeta, thickening that won't break these you can't match for less than 50c; most houses ask \$1.00 for them.

69c. 21-inch heavy pure silk Duchesse. Positive value of this is one dollar.

69c. 21-inch pure silk Black Foulard; strong and warranted not to pull away from seams; for light weight black silk dress this is a real excellence and real positive value is \$1.00.

69c. 21-inch heavy Black Tulle; we challenge you to match this under one dollar.

\$1.50. Laces is a grade that sells for \$2.00 a yard; this is the largest houses North; we guarantee this for at least five years' wear.

## 10c.—NEW IDEA PAPER PATTERNS—10c.

The best, cheapest and most reliable pattern in America. All sold at the uniform price of 10c, each for any and every size. Pattern Sheets free every month.

### Our Every Day Bargains.

2c. each Ladies' White Hemstitch Handkerchiefs.  
60c. each Brussels Rugs, 17x21.  
25c. Ladies' Corsets, good style.  
5c. Pure Linen Towels, 18x25.  
5c. Turkish Bath Towels, 18x25.  
39c. yard fine Silk Velvets, worth 50c.  
10c. new style Ladies' Linen Collars.  
\$1.00 Pure Cotton Door Mats.  
45c. 10 yds. best Bird Eye Diaper.  
39c. yard fine Silk Velvets, worth 50c.  
10c. Lace Strips, Curved Strips.  
10c. new yard wide Silkene Drapery.  
25c. Choice Table Covers, fringed.  
39c. Large Down Sofa Pillows.  
6c. doz. French Embroidery Silks.  
15c. 39c. doz. new Leather Belts.  
55c. pair Embroidered Pillow Shams.  
3c. spool, 2c. doz. Sewing Silk.  
6c. big bottle Lewy Bros' Ammonia.  
5c. ball good Crochet Silk.  
4c. ball Clark's Crochet Cotton.

## THE LONG FAST IS NOW ENDED

Music and Flowers the Features of To-Day.

### THE ORIGIN OF THE NAME

A History of Easter, the Greatest Festival in Christendom—The Churches of Norfolk Will Celebrate With Special Services—What the Day Means to the Christian.

The days of penitence are over. Bright dawn this morning took the place of the dark night of Lenten solemnity, and sombre garments will be exchanged for the gay garb of Easter. Instead of gloom we have flowers, songs of rejoicing, pealing organs, bright anthems, praises and thanksgiving. Also, the beginning of welcome spring. It is well to bear in mind what it all means. To many it matters little that the festivities have a deep, underlying purpose, but it does no harm to be reminded of the fact that the Christian world unites to-day in celebrating the resurrection of Christ, and pours out its wealth of flowers and song in grateful remembrance of the all-important event in the Christian era.

### ORIGIN OF EASTER.

It is interesting to note how the name came to be given to the festival. It was 400 years after the death of Christ that the date of the celebration of His resurrection was definitely settled by the church. The name was taken from the ancient Anglo-Saxon goddess of Spring—Eostre or Eostre—whose festival was celebrated about the time of the Christian Easter. No celebration was arranged by the Jewish Christians at all, but on the 14th day of the month, immediately following the vernal equinox, which was the day on which the old Jewish feast of the Passover was celebrated, the Jewish Christians celebrated the death of Christ, to them the Paschal lamb (Christ having died, according to their chronology, on the date of the celebration of the Jewish Passover). The celebration of the Jewish Christians was, therefore, for the death and not the resurrection of Christ.

The Gentile Christians, however, were not bound by any of the Jewish traditions, Sunday being the Lord's day to them, they, therefore, celebrated the resurrection of Christ on the Sunday following the 14th day of the month of March, the day on which Christ died. The Jewish Christians thus celebrated the 14th day of the month, irrespective

of the day of the week, and the Gentile Christians celebrated a Sunday, irrespective of the day of the month. If this confusion had not been resolved by the proper ecclesiastical authorities, we might have been celebrating the day at the present time according to our individual religious predilections.

The early Church was torn with bitter dissensions regarding this conflict of custom as to the celebration of Easter. Various attempts were made to fix a stable day which would be observed by the Church as a whole, but they all failed. Finally, at the Council of Nice, A. D. 325, the question was settled once for all and the date now observed throughout the Christian world was established. Easter-day was then fixed as the first Sunday after the full moon which happens on or next after March 21st. If the full moon happens on a Sunday, the following Sunday is Easter. The day can, therefore, be as early as March 22d, and as late as April 25th. In France the year began with Easter Sunday until the year 1564 (the date of Charles IX's birth, when Charles IX. fixed January 1st as the first day of the year).

### GROWTH OF A CHANGE.

The customs in connection with the celebration of Easter have been numerous, and not all of them are entitled to respect. In the early Christian era, those who professed the faith would meet with a kiss and the greeting, "Christ is risen." To this greeting the response would be: "He is risen indeed." This is the greeting in the Czar's dominions to this day. Theologians differ widely upon the strictly religious significance of the resurrection. St. Paul declares explicitly that "if Christ be not risen, then is our hope in vain," the hope referred to being the hope of immortality. In the Pauline system the crucifixion and the resurrection are of equal importance, each essential to the Christian religion. However much modern theologians may modify this original conception, no one can deny that apart wholly from the domain of theology the resurrection must be set down as a prodigious factor in the general history of mankind. If it had done nothing else it would be worthy of universal observance as a day of rejoicing for having given to the world the Christian Sabbath. This is a feature of Easter which is little to be underestimated, if not overlooked altogether.

The Hebrew Sabbath was never adopted by any large number of people, except the particular nationality to which it was originally given, and it had in it such an exclusive idea of rest from physical labor that it never commended itself to the people of other nations. The Christian Sabbath, called in the New Testament literature "the first day of the week," or "Lord's Day," took the negative or rest idea of Saturday to a certain extent, and added to it a positive feature which has made Sunday the best day of all the week throughout Christendom. Wide variations are found in the observance of the day, from the Hebraism of Scotland to the holiday idea which pre-

## COLORED DRESS GOODS

69c. A wonderful bargain that every lady should take a look at. This is extra special.

50c. All wool 60-inch Whip Cord, all colors, at Half Price. This is 80c grade. Convince yourself and see these.

25c. All Wool German Henrietta. These can't be bought by us for less than 30c.

25c. Special Monday—Any of our 25c. all wool Dress Stuffs Monday, 25c. a yard.

29c. Silk and Wool Coverts, and pretty Vici-Aux Suits. These also worth 50c.

19c. 10 new pieces Monday, 41-inch wool Hops in Tans, Greys and new Greens, for tailor-made suits.

12 1/2c. A big lot new Pattern, Double 41-inch, Width Spring Dress Goods; all the newest patterns. Please see these on second counter, middle aisle.

67 1/2c. A lot of medium colors, in 12 1/2c. Double 41-inch, marked down for Monday to 67 1/2c. a yard.

## Black Dress Goods.

25c. 36-inch Fine All Wool French Twill Serge.

40-inch Camel's Hair Creponette, the regular price is 50c.

29c. Pure wool 40-inch high finish Henrietta.

39c. The Gold Medal Black Dress Goods, in Armure, Granite and Jacquard patterns, M-hair, Brilliantine, silky and fine.

41-inch Black Clay Diamond Suiting.

41-inch Pure Wool French Black Henrietta Cloth; all these worth nearly double.

69c. Heavy 41-inch Irish Poplin, Clear Black, Yarn Dyed Cheviot, Spangled and shirred, 24 inches wide.

41-inch Black Venetian Solid Cloth, all three of these are full dollar qualities.

79c. Heavy 41-inch Irish Poplin, Clear Black, Yarn Dyed Cheviot, Spangled and shirred, 24 inches wide.

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## 25c.—SILK HOSE—25c.

The balance of an importers stock that came our way at a price far below the real value.

25 doz. Ladies' Fine Plated Hose, in beautiful colorings, with black boot. They are Hermès's best German dye. Rich, clean, double black heels and toes; clean at the heel, and usually sold for 70c. Monday only 25c. a pair.

7c. A PAIR—Ladies' Fast Black and full Sandstone Hose, our 10c. ones, usually sold by others 2 pairs for 25c; here Monday 7c. a pair.

26c. More bargains in Ladies' Fine Imported Hose: some fine Lisle Thread, some Silk Embroidered, some fine Egyptian Cotton, Ribbed and Plain, Black and colored; all worth 30c. to 35c. Monday here 25c. a pair.

19c. 67 doz. pairs Fine Fancy Colored Hose; usual 50c. ones—Monday 19c.

12 1/2c. Bargains—Ladies' Real Imported and Imported Black Double Heel and Toe Stockings, 12 1/2c. Children's Fine Imported Ribbed Hose.

12 1/2c. Children's Heavy Double Knee, heels and Toe Stockings.

8 1/2c. 50 doz. pairs Children's Heavy, Seamless and Fast Black Hose; 8 1/2c. to 9c. considered a very fair quality of 12 1/2c. stocking. Monday 3 pairs for 25c.

5c. Ladies' Russel Brown Hose; about 20 doz. to sell Monday for 5c. a pair, worth 10c.

Bed Clothing at Old Prices.

No advance in price, although every article here priced is worth 10 to 15 per cent more.

5c. Good Muslin Pillow Cases, 40x36 inch, with wide hems.

5c. Each, 40x36 inch of fine Cambric, 12 1/2c. Fine Hemstitch Pillow Cases.

10c. Our Royal Pillow Case, 45x36.

12 1/2c. Corded Pillow Cases, 45x36. Extra size Pillow Cases, 14c. and 17c.

25c. Sheets, 48x90 inch, with wide hems, torn and ironed.

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25c. Sheets for large beds of fine heavy round thread cloth, with wide hem.

50c. Extra big size Androsoggin sheet, worth 60c.

50c. Fine Hemstitch Sheets; full 10-4 square; these are torn and ironed, and have wide hem borders.

19c. Bolster Cases, 42x24 inch.

25c. Hemstitch Bolster Cases, 42x24 inch.

39c. Worth 50c. White Marseilles Bolster Cases, 42x24 inch.

50c. White Bed Spreads, ready hemmed for use.

75c. Extra good value, worth \$1.00.

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## EMBROIDERY, 3c., 4c., 5c.

Prices are advancing on Embroidery of every description. Notwithstanding this fact, we have closed out a lot of 40,000 yards of far below their present price, and Monday we sell them at 3c., 4c., and 5c. a yard and upward. This lot comprises all the newest patterns. Handsome fine cuttings at 10c., 12c. and 15c. for trimming waists and dresses. Expect to see our embroidery counters crowded Monday and all the week, as such values won't be duplicated this season.

Handsome Worked Swiss and Nain-rook Embroidered and All-Over Work priced special for this sale.

New Colored Petticoats.

Of Roman Stripes Moreen, 3c. and 5c.; Made of plaid shirtings, 2c.

Black 2-piece Skirt, wide colored ruffles, a bargain, \$1.00.

Black Skirt, new colored stripes, \$1.50. Colored Skirts and Petticoats, \$1.50.

Black Skirt, 2-piece, with 2 wide ruffles, 3c. with 2 ruffles, \$1.00.

Black Skirt, double ruffles, heavily corded.

Black and Fancy Colors Italian Cloth Skirts, double corded ruffles, \$2.50.

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